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We enclose herewith for filing in the above-referenced application the following:

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- 2. Transmittal Letter For Diskette Containing Substitute Sequence Listing;
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